

Nazi Officers Admit Killings At Soviet Trial

By EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Moscow newspapers yesterday told how a German Gestapo captain and a Nazi storm troop commander, under trial for murder by a Kharov court, openly admitted executions of Russian civilians and war prisoners, explaining they were only carrying out orders.

The trials, in which a group of Germans and one Russian traitor are the defendants, are the first since the pledge Nov. 1 by Britain, Russia and the United States that war criminals would be returned to the scene of their crimes and tried under local law.

TELL OF EXECUTIONS

Moscow newspapers gave these accounts of the trial:

Hans Ritz, commander of a storm troop company, participated in the forcible evacuation of civilians and took part in executions. His work was chiefly punitive, he testified.

Ritz said he was responsible for falsifying documents which led to executions. In Tapanov alone he said, he was responsible for the death of about 300 persons. Later he was transferred to Kharov and witnessed the killing of about 3,000 persons in a nearby village.

His commander, he related, stood with him watching the Tommy guns mow down civilians and soldiers. "Now me, too, know how," Ritz took his Tommy gun and fired into the screaming ranks of people.

NO 'QUESTION OF LAW'

Ritz was asked if he thought international laws had been infringed by the Germans on the eastern front.

"I must say there was no question of international law," Ritz told the court. " Adolf Hitler was the man responsible for the reign of cruelty in the Soviet Union," he said, adding that Heinrich Himmler, head of the Gestapo and minister of the interior, had issued orders to "execute according to one's own Aryan feelings."

Passes at 100

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Dec. 18.—(AP)—The last real daughter of the American revolution died yesterday. She was Mrs. Annie Knight Gregory, 100, who had been known as Knight, was a drummer boy with Washington at Valley Forge. He rose to a captain of infantry in the war of 1812.

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Take five feet five inches of snub-nosed cuteness, brown hair and sparkling eyes to match and you've got Jane Wyman. . . and something more besides, you've got a mighty attractive dish. However in Warner Bros. "Princess O'Rourke"—something new has been added. To the old cliche Janie has been added "glamour," in one sequence with Olivia de Havilland, Janie acts the scene and projects herself into the same category with La Grable and La Dietrich. They are now calling her "Legs" Wyman. How did she steal the scene? Simply by reacting to a typically feminine touch, she straightens her nose . . . and draws attention to a very shapely pair of gums.

Famous Airplane Of Orville Wright Will Return to U.S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—The airplane, which Orville Wright made the first powered flight is coming back to the United States after long years of exile in England, thereby ending one of the great aviation legends of this country.

President Roosevelt announced the plane will be returned to rest in the Smithsonian Institution and yesterday a time when the Smithsonian refused to recognize their fight at Kitty Hawk, N.S., as the first. For many years, it credited the first powered flight to Samuel Langley, another aviation pioneer. Now the Smithsonian recognizes the Wright flight as the first.

U.S. Food Subsidy Showdown Averted Until February 5

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—The House of Representatives voted yesterday to extend the life of the Commodity Credit Corporation until Feb. 5, thus suspending until then a showdown on the issue of outlawing food subsidies.

The Senate earlier had voted a 60-day truce in the controversy. In reducing the time by amendment, the House forced the bill back to the Senate.

The amendment to make the extension to Feb. 5 instead of the Senate-fixed date of Feb. 29 was passed 353 to 27.

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Criticism has also been offered that the Allies tried to conduct the operation on a shoestring in that the initial 8th Army force landing in southern Italy and the 5th Army initial landing in Salerno were conducted by only a part of strength available.

The military reason for this will be buried until after the war.

FITS CORAL STRATEGY

Just before the Italian campaign has been fitted into global strategy drawn up by Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt and the combined British and American staffs. It was apparently the majority opinion that no fighting in Italy could be decided.

As the Allies hurried to bring in service equipment which made possible large-scale operations after the fall of Naples, the Germans utilized the time to bring divisions from the north and es-

Campaign Worth Cost Many Factors Responsible For Slow Allied Progress In Drive to Capture Rome

Why is the Allied advance up the Italian boot going so slowly? Was Gallagher, Associated Press war correspondent who has been with the Anglo-American forces since the landings in North Africa, 13 months ago, give the background in the following story. Gallagher recently made a tour of the Italian battle zones.—EDITOR

BY WES GALLAGHER

ALGIERS, Dec. 18.—(AP)—After 106 days of bloody fighting since the first Allied troops set foot on Italy, Rome is still far away in a military sense with little prospect that it will be liberated soon.

Establish a series of mountain defences.

It was apparent during the battle of the Volturno in western Italy that the time for lightning advances had passed, with typical thoroughness the Germans had sown every inch of the way with mines and flooded the Pontine marshes, closing the landward approach to Rome, and had fortified every mountain stronghold along the line.

The terrain ruled out the use of armor and heavy tanks left no choice except to depend on infantry, artillery and bombardment.

Two courses were open to Allied commanders. One was to call for unlimited numbers of infantry divisions, three tens of thousands of men wholesale into battle along the line engaging the Germans until they collapsed from their exhaustion.

Such a course would have resulted in heavy casualties.

The second choice was to bring a preponderance of artillery and with the air forces pound German strongpoints with high explosives one by one until the infantry could take them with comparatively small forces.

This much slower, but less costly process, is being followed, as the Allies pound and lay the Germans back from one defence line to another.

Meanwhile, when the 8th Army captured the Foglia plain the right military prize in southern Italy fell into the Allied hands.

VALUABLE BASES

Expos and 12 satellite fields offered cases from which heavy bomber forces can hit every point on southern Germany and the Balkans.

Those who would to toast the Victory of the New Year will have to do it in pubs and clubs in Italy.

If they can squeeze their way in, they will find the Christmas dinner, which the Germans have been eating for some time, is a bit of a disappointment.

Some people who thought they were with the Christmas dinner problem by eating in a cafe or hotel have been getting plenty of food and drink, as advertised now will cost at least 10 shillings (about \$20) a head.

The five-shilling meal still holds but extras are a bit more than the advertised house or entertainment charges.

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Three Attempts Made to Oust General Franco

By FLORA LEWIS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Three Franco elements in Spain have tried three times to overthrow Gen. Franco, according to reports current last night among well-placed diplomats here. Moreover, the dictator's foes are said to be persisting in their plans, despite failure.

The defeat of the latest attempt, on Sept. 19, was attributed to the German army which Franco also when he overthrew Spain's republican government. The Spanish prelude to the Second World War.

PLOTTED IN MADRID

Information gathering sources in touch with happenings in the Iberian Peninsula, named Madrid as the center of plotting for several different factions bent on ousting Gen. Franco from power. They were installing a regime more favorable to the United Nations.

The group most active so far has been the pro-munichian, which would bring back Primo de Rivera from exile in Switzerland.

The most likely development, according to those in the know, is a coup d'etat carried off mainly from within the Spanish army. All but one of the generals of the supreme war council in Spain are believed to be planning asking that Don Juan be returned to the throne.

That would automatically mean doing away with Franco, since the king has said he would not return to the head of any single group. Franco's control now rests almost exclusively in the position of a dictator, as the only legal political party in Spain.

SEE ALIED VICTORY

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A Letter from Home!



Some minor spots of battle are inspected here by two Canadian officers after the defeat of German forces near Colle d'Anchio in Italy. At the left, Lt. Col. J. C. Jefferson, D.S.O., E.D., of Edmonton, officer commanding The Loyal Edmonton Regiment, a unit of the Canadian First Division fighting with Gen. Montgomery's Eighth Army, proudly displays a "potato masher" and steel helmet. At the right, Maj. G. A. Welsh, of Sunderland, Ont., looks over an automatic Schmeisser rifle.

Regulations forbid individuals sending newspapers overseas. The Edmonton Bulletin prints the news of the week in letter form. Clip it out and send it to your loved ones and friends.

Dear

You never saw such crowds of Christmas shoppers as there are in the stores this week, despite the fact that an epidemic of colds and mild flu has hit the city, and stores are not quite so crowded as they were last week. It seems so much easier now than the Christmas season approaches. And although the holiday shoppers jamming street cars en route home, not only have to stand on their own feet, but have a lot of other people standing on them too, everyone seems in a cheerful temper.

December 13

Three police officers and a C.P.R. inspector closed in on Max Chivay, when he slipped his auto beside a sleeping car near the South 14 railway shops with the intention of picking up 14 cases of liquor which had been played in berths on the car when the train left Winnipeg. Chivay was arrested and the liquor seized.

Red Deer Army Wheelers drove in at first place with Calgary Air Corps Barriers in the Alberta Service Senior Hockey League yesterday, with a close 4-3 decision over Calgary Tecumseh Mustangs.

Recommendation that property on the south side of Jasper avenue and 90's street be re-zoned into residential lands to make room for a new building, city council Monday night. C. A. Venn, accountant at Bank of Montreal, was elected president of the Edmonton Kiwanis Club Friday evening. Paul M. Castor, well-known photographer of this city and owner of Castor Studio Ltd., died suddenly Sunday night.

Two accidents, aged 15, 16, 17, were placed under arrest Sunday after a 16-mile dash on the Calgary trail which ended after the culprit car, which police said had reached a speed of 100 miles per hour, stalled and came to a stop. The three youths are charged with six counts of breaking, in counts of entering garages, and theft of two autos.

Two disastrous fires of the year struck Dawson Creek Saturday night when a two-story building owned by Alexander Dry Cleaners was swept by flames. Damage to the building and equipment alone is estimated at \$10,000. H. S. Johnson, manager of the H. S. Johnson's department store in Dawson Creek, said he had been appointed manager of the company's retail store in Edmonton.

December 14

Value of building permits issued this year by the city architect's department soared well over the \$400,000 mark Tuesday when three permits amounting to \$32,000 were issued for work to be done. The Alberta Teachers' Association has proposed to the Dominion government regarding elimination of vacation certificates for travel formerly granted for statutory holidays.

Markets remained unbroken in the City Girls Basketball League Monday night when they defeated the Spokane team 24 to 18. The City Girls of the Air Corps edged out No. 2 A.O.S. by a score of 27 to 20 Monday night in the Service Basketball League.

The 14 P.S. training crew will meet Saturday night to defeat H.M.C.S. Norwood 48-25. No. 402 Service Squadron of the Canadian Legion, H.M.C.S. Norwood, will meet Saturday night to defeat H.M.C.S. Norwood 48-25.

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December 15

The Alberta government plans to spend \$100,000 on new main highway construction and reconstruction of existing roads during 1944. Hon. W. A. Rutherford, minister of public works, announced Wednesday. Fourth session of the ninth legislature of Alberta will open in Edmonton Thursday, Feb. 19, 1944. It was announced by the Hon. J. G. Macdonald, premier of the province.

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Creek, who was fined \$300 and costs for raising rentals of rooms in the hotel.

A grade four pupil of Newwood Public School was expelled by the Edmonton Public School Board for refusing to salute the flag. Parents of the boy are members of the Jehovah's Witnesses. Lt.-Col. L. Urski, divisional commander of the Salvation Army in Alberta since 1939, will be transferred to Nova Scotia shortly.

Yanks dropped a 29-24 decision to U.S. Army Engineers in their basketball exhibition Tuesday night at the University of New Mexico.

Planning it impossible to organize a team for the balance of the season, Air Transport Command is presumed, returning from overseas, who arrived here Wednesday. Nine Edmontonians were in the party, including Lt. Col. J. C. Jefferson, D.S.O., E.D., of Edmonton, officer commanding The Loyal Edmonton Regiment, a unit of the Canadian First Division fighting with Gen. Montgomery's Eighth Army, proudly displays a "potato masher" and steel helmet. At the right, Maj. G. A. Welsh, of Sunderland, Ont., looks over an automatic Schmeisser rifle.

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Ottawa Awaits U.S. Decision On Canal Oil

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in the North Pacific zone through a continuous supply of gasoline, the pipeline-like the Alaska highway—would be a factor in the postwar development of both the Canadian North-West and Alaska, officials here said.

Drilling operations to provide oil to feed the pipeline have given the picture of the Fort Norman field's extent, and authorities said it had been demonstrated that output is good.

CLOSE LIAISON
Canada has been kept in touch with progress on the project through Maj-Gen. W. W. Foster at Edmonton, special commissioner for defense in the northwest, who has worked in liaison with United States military men and reported directly to the cabinet war committee.

Whether or not the project is continued, Canada will be interested in disposal of the pipeline facilities already constructed, officials said, since the chain of fields from Edmonton to Whitehorse must be conveniently served by feeder lines from the main pipeline, and that traffic along the Alaska Highway also is a future prospect.

Mining camps, settlements in sections where there is arable land and other communities would require oil supplies, expensive to bring from outside sources of supply.

CANADA'S POSITION

The position of Canada was set forth in an exchange of notes between Canada and the United States in August, 1942. The notes revealed that the Canal undertakings, like the Alaska Highway and other projects, will be subject to valuation by a joint international board, with a first option given to the Canadian government to purchase at the agreed valuation.

Subject to considerations of post-war defence, the pipeline and refinery installations may be sold to commercial interests after the war, but the agreement between the nations provides that the governments will not dismantle the works. The Canadian government, too, has agreed not to permit any private purchaser to dismantle them without approval of the permanent Canadian-U.S. defense board.

Officials said that the project, at this stage, is regarded as entirely military in character. The oil production developed at Fort Norman is obviously much above the normal needs of the area unless there is major expansion after the war, they said.

LAUNCHED IN 1942
The Canal project was launched in June, 1942, and work was well under way before information concerning it was given out.

Washington critics who have suggested the project be abandoned have claimed oil required in the Pacific could be shipped north from California more quickly and cheaper.

Italy's Mountains: They Slow the March on Rome



Big reason why the Allied advance on Rome has been slow is the range of mountains north of Naples in central Italy through which our forces must push against firmly entrenched German positions. Here U.S. infantrymen and a pack mule, too, go up a steep, narrow trail toward the front lines. Only man and beast can navigate the trails, and sometimes even the mules stumble. Left, mule at right is carrying a load of ration.

Father of Screen Actress Passes

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., Dec. 18 (AP) — William McDonnell, 47, father of screen star Grace McDowell, died yesterday while en route to a hospital after suffering a heart attack. He had been with the office of censorship in Hollywood for the last year and for nine years previously was circulation manager for the Quigley Publications, motion picture trade journal publishers, in New York.

Queen's Fund

MONTREAL, Dec. 18.—(CP)—The national fund of the Queen's Canadian Fund was announced yesterday as \$415,844.90.

The Greeks Need Your Old Clothes

Canadians know they must wear warm clothes in the winter months especially when the temperature skills down below zero. Think what it would be like if you didn't have, or could not buy such clothes. Your health would suffer. That is the situation in Greece today. 20 million items of clothes, suits, shirts, sweaters, shoes especially, underwear, all types of clothing for children particularly: blankets, towels, pillow slips. Will you be one of those sympathetic individuals who will answer this appeal now so that supplies can be sent at once. Any items you can spare can be sent to



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Orville Wright, who is still very much alive, was asked recently how he feels about the terribly destructive use to which his great invention is being put. He replied sadly, "It is indispensable to mankind. It is entitled to its clear conscience. Every great invention in human history has been seized upon by war-makers."

In the technological conflict of our own period, every modern discovery and invention—radio, television, electronics, the internal combustion engine, an array of mechanical discoveries—has not only been directed to destructive ends but has been developed to raise the potential for devastation to the utmost degree. Yet all these things will in due time find application in the pursuit of peace, to make us more amiable and more satisfying. It is one of the paradoxes of history, in fact, that war stimulates new scientific developments for purposes of demolition which later emerge as peace-time blessings. It is one of the few dividends that nations draw from the tragedy of war.

EASY CONSCIENCE
All of America is entitled to an easy conscience in relation to the airplane. While this country is inspired the new means of transportation and pioneered in its improvement, its development as a war instrument was left largely to other countries. American scientific genius found expression in the specific phases of aviation. The proof of this is in the fact that at the outbreak of the second World War the United States possessed the greatest commercial aviation in the world, but a backward and in some respects a primitive military aviation.

For instance, it seems strange,

Following War

Areas Along Alaska Highway Are Expected to Attract Sightseers and Sportsmen

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—(CP)—Areas along the Alaska highway may not be "ideal tourist country" but they are expected to attract post-war sightseers, hunters and fishermen, it was indicated today in reports of a wild life survey made by two federal officials.

The officials, A. L. Rand and Dr. H. D. Clarke, of the resources department, indicated that they believe tourists, hunters and fishermen will travel the highway out of sheer curiosity and love of adventure.

(Dr. Charles Camell, deputy resources minister and Canadian chairman of the North Pacific planning project, said in a recent interview that a major post-war tourist traffic may expected along the highway once it was improved sufficiently for comfortable driving.)

HAS GAME PRESERVE
"A few people, but I see no large scale development possible," said Mr. Rand, attached to the biology section of the national museum of Canada, made a survey of wild life in the area between Fort Nelson, B. C., and Watson Lake, Y.T.

"This is not an ideal tourist country," he said in the report. "The distances are too great and the mountains too distant from most of the highway. But there are certain possibilities."

"The highway is an overland route to Alaska. There is fishing and hunting and game to be seen. There are mountains to walk about at Summit Pass and at Murchison Lake. There are hot springs in the Teton Valley and there are the Hudson's Bay posts."

"In the southern sections of the highway north to Summit Lake, the better game country lies in the Rockies to the west. Horses, wranglers and guides would be needed to reach this country. In the future, such facilities may be established along the highway."

GUIDES NOT NEEDED
A certain amount of hunting is to be had from the highway. It is not a hunting preserve, but game animals and guides would not be necessary. Though club hunters may go to enter to hunters might be frequented."

Between Fort Nelson and Watson Lake, Mr. Rand found varying quantities of black bears, grizzlies, moose, sheep, goats and deer.

"Tourists will visit this country in the summer. Fishermen will come in during the season and there will be camp, boats and guides to them."

"In the larger valley bottoms will be a few small farms to supply the camp and hotel trade. Instead of a few trappers doing well solely by trapping there, one may see a few trappers doing out a meagre existence with guide-camps or with gasoline and hot dog stands."

There are possibilities here for only four years later, that our first Flying Fortress were little more than big carrying planes. They were devoid of armor and deficient in armament, carrying only machine guns stuck in haphazard and lacking the kind of turret in tail and nose which British bombers carried. American strategic concepts, as personified in General Billy Mitchell, General Frank Andrews and many others, were far advanced, but the aviation equipment did not match the concepts.

Yet we have been able to catch up and in many respects to surpass the rest of the world in military aeronautics even we got going. This was possible primarily because our highly developed commercial aviation had made our people air-minded. More than that, it had created the research and engineering staffs, the mechanical skills, the flying personnel upon which we could draw when the emergency was upon us. Commercial aviation had given us a pool of recruits from which to draw for military purposes.

CLOSE RELATIONSHIP
It is important to bear in mind this close relationship between commercial and military branches in any transport facility. In the epoch of air power, the nations with the merchant marines, shipbuilding industries and trained sailors could most readily expand their naval strength on the water. In the air age, similarly, the nations which build up the greatest air commerce will also be best prepared in the military sense. Aerial commerce will also be best prepared in the military sense. Aerial commerce will also be best prepared in the military sense.

The needs of this fatal war are giving colossal impetus to the foldment of the invention made by two Americans forty years ago. The post-war period will see an even greater development. The flying skills of the nation will revolutionize life on this planet beyond any former means of communication. Because it will bring the remotest regions of the earth within a few hours' distance of each other, it will tend to weld the whole world into a single community. More effectively than any Marconi, by statesman, it must break down localism and make nations aware of their common interests by removing barriers to the exchange of goods and culture. The airplane is destined to become the greatest instrumentality of world peace despite its baptism in blood.

We have every reason to be grateful that one of the Wright brothers is still in our midst, and the celebration today is a token of America's awareness of the extreme importance of the new means of transportation.

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shly a few hours are to be found in that region. Part of the territory has been closed off for a game preserve.
Lake trout, rainbow, jackfish, grayling, salmon, trout and Rocky Mountain whitefish were plentiful in the lakes and rivers. Some geese and grouse were to be seen.
Weasels, cougars, lynx, beaver, muskrat, mink, rabbit, fox, coyote, wolf, muskrat and rabbit inhabited the area in varying numbers.

ROOSEVELT WORRIED
About Churchill
WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—President Roosevelt told a press conference yesterday he was worried about Prime Minister Churchill, who is battling pneumonia somewhere in the middle east, but he said he had received word from the British embassy yesterday morning that Mr. Churchill had had a pretty good night.

S.C. Candidate
MEDICINE HAT, Alta., Dec. 18.—(CP)—Mrs. E. B. Thurston of Bow Island was nominated yesterday as Social Credit candidate to contest the next provincial election for the constituency of Cypress.

Wyoming has 20,000 miles of streams and 120,000 acres of lakes containing trout.

Roosevelt Says
Stalin "Realist"
WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—President Roosevelt says Premier Stalin is much like himself—the realist type.
That was his answer when asked at a press conference what sort of individual he found the Russian marshal to be.
Pressed by a feminine reporter to "tell us about him," the President said he didn't write no society column.

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Additional Church News

Pageants, and special music will be presented at all services in All People's Mission Sunday. There will be a Christmas Eve service at Russell Memorial.

"The Star Still Shines" is the message to be given by the Rev. G. R. Dawe, B.Th., at the Christmas service in Newwood Baptist church in the evening. The minister will speak on "What Do We See in the Face of Christ?" Special music will be presented at both services.

Special Christmas services will be conducted in Newwood United church Sunday morning and evening. Special music will be provided by the choir and soloists. Miss Una Palmer, Mrs. C. Haghighi, Lloyd Willis and Miss Chloe Kirkham.

At a carol service in First Baptist church Sunday at 7:30 p.m., the choir will sing carols of the nation. At the morning service the Rev. Daniel Young, B.A., will speak on the subject "The Intensity of Love."

A special candlelight service will be held in Central United church Sunday at 7:30 p.m. The ladies' chorus will present a program of Christmas carols with Mrs. A. Brink and Lt. J. Angus as soloists.

White Gift Service will be held in McDonald Baptist church Sunday morning with a Christmas service by the primary department and music by the junior choir. The Rev. L. Keith Dunn, B.A., will be the guest speaker. At the evening service the choir, under the direction of Mrs. W. D. Thompson, will present the Christmas cantata, "The Redeemer of the World."

R. Stoker will speak on the subject "Three Wise Men" at the service in the City Temple of Spiritualism Sunday evening.

An open service will be held at the Unity school of Christianity Sunday at 11:30 a.m. A Christmas tree and party will be held after the special evening service.

A Christmas cantata will be presented in St. Stephen's church Sunday at 7:30 p.m. There will be special services Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

Regular services will be held in Augustine Lutheran church on Sunday. There will be a special early service at 7 a.m. Christmas Day.

At services in the Edmonton Pentecostal Tabernacle Sunday the Rev. A. M. Mallory will speak on "A Child Born—A Son Given" at the morning service, and in the evening his subject will be "Anchored and Waiting." A special Christmas program by the Sunday school will be presented at 4 p.m. Tuesday.

In Metropolitan church Sunday evening, a choir of fifty voices, under the direction of G. L. Giff, will present Handel's "The Messiah." At the morning service the Rev. R. M. Thompson will preach on "Christmas in Warlike."

"In the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force" is the subject of the lesson-study at the Christian Science church Sunday.

Notice to Churches

NEXT WEEK'S CHURCH PAGE WILL BE PUBLISHED FRIDAY, DEC. 24

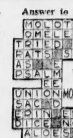
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THURSDAY, NOON
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In His Steps

By Max L. Beach
Midst change and fret and constant strife,
How calm and peaceful is my life—
Walking in the footsteps of my Lord.
Give me the path the Master trod;
In countless fellowship with God;
Walking in the footsteps of my Lord.
There shall I learn to trust and love,
The perfect will of God to prove,
Walking in the footsteps of my Lord.
Sweet though earth's briars wound my feet,
I find each bitter cup made sweet,
Walking in the footsteps of my Lord.
Then shall I be resigned and meek,
No more earth's painted toys to seek,
Walking in the footsteps of my Lord.
There shall I bear the daily cross,
Nor shrink from the reproach and loss,
Walking in the footsteps of my Lord.
May I thus find from day to day,
What means "The straight and narrow way,"
Walking in the footsteps of my Lord.
It is the path that leads us home,
Sweet foretastes there of joys to come,
Walking in the footsteps of my Lord.

Capt. James R. Cox, chaplain to the U.S.A.F., Edmonton, who has prepared a New Year's message for Edmonton Bulletin readers. It will be published on the Church Page, Friday, December 31st.

"When God Comes to Man," at the morning service in McDonald church. In the evening, W. J. Hendrix, A.L.M., will direct the choir, augmented with singers from the U.S. Army Air base, in Christmas music from "The Messiah."

"Memories at Christmas Time" and "These Came Wise Men From the East" are the subjects of sermons to be given by the Rev. E. G. Turnbull, B.A., B.D., in Knox church Sunday. Jack Williams will be the soloist and there will be congregational carol singing.

Services at the Salvation Army, 102 street, will be conducted by Adj. Stanley Jackson. The Christmas music will be "God's Unpardonable Gift." The evening meeting will take the form of a carol service with the subject "The Prince of Peace." Miss Elna Oliver will direct the Citadel Songster Brigade in special Christmas music.

The evening service in Robertson United church will be fully choral when the Christmas cantata, "Christ the Child," is presented under the direction of G. A. Kavan. Soloists will be Miss Kathryn Zender, Mrs. J. C. Naitres, Mrs. S. G. Collier, Miss Norma Sadler, S. Devar, R. Jamieson and T. Davies.

"Christ in Eternity" and "Christ in a Manager" are the subjects of sermons to be delivered in the Calder Church of the Nazarene by the Rev. A. G. Weiss, Sunday. These sermons are the beginning of a series of Christmas messages.

Regular services will be held in the Gospel Hall Sunday.

The Edmonton Prophetic Baptist and the Fundamental Baptist church will have Christmas services on Sunday in Central, Masonic Temple at 11 a.m., 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. C. Hutchinson of Calgary will be the special speaker at the afternoon and evening services.

Selections from "The Messiah" will be presented at the evening service in Holy Trinity church. At the morning service the Rev. W. M. Kinsley, B.A., L.Th., will preach.

A Christmas program conducted by the choir and young people of the church will take the place of the evening service in Central Lutheran church. Subject of the sermon at the morning service will be "Looking Unto Jesus."

The Rev. Thomas Hart, M.A., B.D., D.Th., will speak on the subject.

Friends of Israel will meet Thursday at 8 p.m. R. O. Stenlund will be in charge.

The Rev. J. McBeath Miller will speak on "The Coming of the Son of Man" and "We Have Seen His Day" at Christmas services in First

PRIVATE BUCK



"Buck used to be in politics!"

sermon to be given at Westmount Presbyterian.

The Rev. William Simons will conduct morning worship in the Rupert Street Presbyterian church.

The Rev. J. D. Carlson, pastor of Beulah Tabernacle, will preach on the subject "God's Christmas Tree" at the evening service Sunday. Christmas music will be featured at all services in the church.

F. L. L. W. G. Greenfield, B.C. A.P. chaplain at No. 4 U.S. will be the guest preacher at the evening service in All Saints' cathedral.

Crew of Ship Is Believed Lost

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Thirty-seven merchant seamen and a United States Navy gun crew of six were believed lost today as the Boston collier Suffolk remained unreported after sending out two radio distress calls during last Saturday's gale off Montserrat Point, Long Island.

Sole hope lay in the possibility that the men may have been picked up by a ship moving with her radio silenced.

Returning searchers reported they found no trace of survivors or debris in the area and her owners, C. H. Sprague and Sons, of Boston, listed her as "missing."

The presentation will be open to the public.

The Ansager Lutheran Church will hold regular services Sunday under the direction of the Rev. R. M. Mathieson. Christmas Day there will be an English and Danish Christmas service.

Special services will be featured at the Central Church of Christ on Sunday. The offering from the Bible school will be given for the British and Foreign Bible Society in work in China. At the morning service the Rev. H. Bruce Sinton will speak on the subject "They Were Expectant" and in the evening at the "White Gift Service" he will address the congregation on "The Gift of Life."

A carol service will be held in St. Matthews' Riverside church at 11 a.m. Sunday. It will be conducted by Grayson Dodd. On Christmas Day at 8:15 a.m. choral communion will be celebrated by Canon J. C. Matthews. On St. Stephen's Day all services will be held at St. Stephen's.

U.S. Army Air Station will present the Christmas Music from Handel's "Messiah" at 8:15 a.m. Sunday.

HOLD EVERYTHING



"What branch of the service do you prefer?"

Australian Labor Remains Opposed To Imperial Titles

CANBERRA, Dec. 18.—(CP)—Australian labor yesterday reiterated its opposition to granting further imperial titles to Australians and urged that the precedent, established in 1931, of appointing an Australian as governor-general be followed when the position again becomes vacant—the expiration of the Duke of Gloucester's term which begins next April.

These proposals were contained in motions passed by the Australian labor conference calling attention of future labor governments to the party's policy.

Australia's first native-born governor-general was Sir Isaac Isaacs, who was appointed on recommendation of a Labor government and held office from 1931 to 1936 when he was succeeded by the present governor-general, Lord Gowrie, an Englishman.

Food is called "lucker" by the Aussies.

Says Air Plan Fully Developed

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—(CP)—Air Minister Power, in a statement reviewing the operation of the British Commonwealth air training plan in Canada, said last night that a "dramatic reflection of its growth and achievement" are the Canadian and to some extent, the R.A.F. participation in the telling raids on Berlin.

As it enters upon its fifth year the plan is fully developed, with its experienced and rapid expansion steps well past. "It has been possible for many months and will continue to be possible for us to concentrate on meeting to the fullest the demands of the war fronts for trained aircrew."

With the recent announcement by the R.A.F. that "A reasonably good number of squadrons" would be sent to Britain to join the 36 Canadian squadrons already operating from bases there, Canada revealed that she was throwing ever more strength into the offensive from the air "that is crushing Germany's final effort into rubble," the minister said.

"Objector" Given Jail Term, Fine

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., Dec. 18.—(CP)—Fred H. Stutz of Dewdney, B.C., a conscientious objector, was sentenced to three months in jail with hard labor and fined \$100 in police court here yesterday when he pleaded guilty to leaving a work camp without authority. If Stutz does not pay the fine, he must serve an additional three months in jail. Stutz had been convicted twice previously for failure to comply with selective service regulations.

Food is called "lucker" by the Aussies.



WHEN ALLIED INVASION FORCES STRIKE at enemy shores, servicing commandos of the air force are among the first units ashore. With the help of the Engineers they level captured airfields which have been plowed by the enemy with furrows two feet deep. Rugged Canadian-built trucks fill up bomb craters with tons of rock, and rush in fuel, oil, supplies and maintenance equipment from the bridgehead.

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Soviets Found Plot by Nazis To Kill Chiefs

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predictions that they will bring the war in Europe to a close next year. All of the Allies, he said, are working as hard as possible to defeat Hitler as early as possible.

There may or may not be later meetings with Stalin, Mr. Churchill, or Chiang Kai-shek. The way to phrase it, he said, is that all four of them are on call.

The president said it was hoped that the Cairo and Tehran conferences would have a definite and beneficial effect for the post-war period. It is hoped, he added, that there will not be another war while the present generation lives.

ALL SHARE HOPE

He said the statements with which he conferred share this hope.

He described as significant the fact that between two-thirds and three-fourths of the world's population was represented at the Allied war councils in the Middle East.

In response to inquiries, Mr. Roosevelt said he had called Stalin "Marshall" and that while conversations took place through interpreters, the discussions were not stilted and sometimes the answers came out before the translations were completed.

He would like to tell about his method of travel, he said, but he didn't want any trouble with the army and navy and all he could say was that he went to Tehran by plane.

WARNED OF PLOT

When he got to Tehran, he reported, he went to the United States embassy. That night he got word from Stalin of a German plot. The Soviet marshal pleaded with him to go down to the Russian embassy in the next morning he went there to stay.

He supposed it would have made a pretty good haul for the Germans, the president chuckled, if they could have got down to them going through the streets of Tehran.

He gave no other details of the reported plot, but observed that there must be a hundred or more German agents in Tehran.

Chinese Exclusion Law Is Repealed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—The 60-year-old Chinese exclusion laws were taken off the United States statute books yesterday.

The repeal act makes all Chinese residents of the United States eligible for naturalization and lowers immigration barriers to permit 100 Chinese to enter the United States annually, on a quota basis.

Minute Make-Ups

Brind gold and dark hair for Gray Gaudin! Wear three sequin butterflys on your shoulder and one in your hair. See black sequins on the petals of a pink velvet rose. Wear it in the belt of a simple black dress. See bright glass beads on a black crocheted shawl, with multi-colored ribbons. Hang your image, drop on your lips. And you will be a Gray Gaudin, because all of this gets done in one minute.

Gleaned From Rural News

HARDISTY—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and family have gone to California to spend the holidays with their two married daughters. Mrs. Abel Peterson R.N., who has been employed in the Lament hospital for several months, has returned to her home here. Gus Rens has been in Edmonton visiting his father. Mr. and Mrs. Keller have closed their theatre for three weeks, to help conserve gasoline and fuel.

Rita Bernfield is assisting in the Barnstable store over the Christmas rush. Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin have moved into an apartment house in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Quilman have moved into a house vacated by the McLaughlins. Mr. and Mrs. Her-

bert Brooker of Laval have taken a house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Quilman.

Miss Ivy Moulder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moulder, has joined the navy and left for Galt, Ont. to begin her training. Mrs. Fred Jones gave a farewell party in her home.

Word has been received that David Reeve and Neal Berneith have arrived in Italy. Oscar Larson B.C.A.F. is home on leave.

Mrs. J. MacPherson has received word that her son, Mr. MacPherson, Camp Borden, Ont. has recovered from an attack of pneumonia. L. Young left Wednesday for Edmonton.

Funeral services for Oliver Dodd Manning, 46-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Manning of N. Elm, were held at Hardisty Tuesday. The Rev. J. E. Brown officiated.

DUFFIELD—Walter Brown lost five of his best milking cows when they wandered out on the thin ice of the Saskatchewan River. The ice broke through and all the cows drowned.

Walter Ross of Glenview is spending holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Ross.

Train service has changed recently and now trains run on alternate days, going west on Sunday with no trains on Saturday.

Kenneth Porter of Keswick was surprised recently by the disappearance of one of his barnyard dogs. He had put five dogs in the back of a light delivery truck and driven 45 miles from his home when he discovered four of the dogs had dropped off the truck. All had been returned to him by the stockyard.

Due to the death of J. Collingridge, former postmaster, the post office is now situated in the H. V. Ross store.

Frances Scullion and Ray O'Brien were visitors at Bank Rapids, Sunday. Jimmy Brass is leaving to spend holidays with his mother, Mrs. Andy Brass, in Vancouver.

Visitors to Edmonton include Bob Muller, Mrs. Steve Carter, Scott, Johnny Paul, and Mrs. C. D. Schaeffer. Mrs. John Paul, Mrs. Henry Kaler, Jr., W. H. Woodman, Arthur Bryant, Harry Bryant, and others.

Funeral services for Michael Anderson, three-year-old son of M. Anderson, were held at Hopkins Church at 2 p.m. Tuesday. Besides his parents, he was survived by a twin sister, one brother and two older sisters.

Our family newspaper even has a special department to help make me up and strong. My doctor's in there now with so many other doctors and nurses helping my country. He told my mamma to follow Myrtle Meyer. Editor's advice in The Bulletin every day.

It saves her lots of worry and it's feeling better myself. I know I'll be in condition to help build that bigger and better world my daddy's fighting for today. So watch out, little school children!

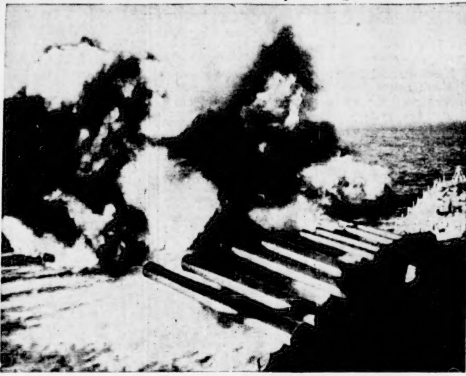
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The Guns of France Speak Again



Mighty broadside from the guns of the reconditioned French battleship Richelieu symbolizes the rebirth of France as an active fighter against Germany. The big warship is in North Africa after refitting in U.S.

60 Driven Out In Winnipeg Fire

WINNIPEG, Dec. 18.—(CP)—Sixty persons, including 22 children, were forced from apartments in a two-story duplex terrace by fire early today but all escaped without injury.

The building, located on Winnipeg avenue in central Winnipeg, was filled with smoke which spread from a fire which started in a store on the ground floor. Damage was extensive.

Morris Stein, the store owner, and his wife, were rescued, brought to safety through a window, the plate glass smashed by Arvo Narven, occupant of an upstairs suite who had heard their cries for help.

U.S. Planes Again Hit Jap Airdrome

PEARL HARBOR, T.H. Dec. 18.—(AP)—Heavy bombers of the United States 7th Army Air Force, making their second attack of the day, smashed the Japanese airdrome on Wolfe Atoll of the Marshall Islands, in a series of direct hits at dusk Wednesday. A press release from United States Pacific fleet headquarters announced the new raid. There was no enemy interception. A spokesman said anti-aircraft fire was light.

Louis XIV spent more than \$400,000 on the royal gardens at Versailles.

PRIVATE BREGER ABROAD



"Hey, guys, wait for me! I been lookin' for a crap game all day!"

First Division With 8th Army

By ROSS MURRO

LONDON, Dec. 18.—(CP)—The Canadian formation spearheading the drive of the British 8th Army up the Adriatic coast was identified for the first time today as the Canadian 1st Division in a dispatch from the Daily Herald's correspondent at Allied headquarters, Algiers.

The correspondent said: "Men of the Canadian 1st Division on the coastal sector are hurrying the Germans in 'Dead Man's Gulch'. This ravine has been the scene of the fiercest fighting of the whole of the Army's Italian campaign."

While it was obvious to Canadians that the 1st Division which includes The Royal Edmonton Regiment, was doing the fighting it had been prohibited until now to mention its number in dispatches from London until Allied headquarters formally permitted naming it.

Last month the division was joined in Italy by at least one other division and announcement was made that a Canadian Corps had been formed there. There has been no indication yet that these fresh troops have gone into the line.

Sweet potatoes are used in the manufacture of candy bars, ice cream powders, flour for pies and as sandwich spreads.

District News in Brief

Trochu Red Cross Elects Officers

TROCHU—Mrs. J. Hurry was elected president of the local branch of the Red Cross at an annual meeting held Monday evening.

Other officers elected were: first vice-president, Mrs. G. R. Mealing; second vice-president, Mrs. N. Pearce; fourth vice-president, Mrs. T. Smith; fifth vice-president, Mrs. R. Evans; secretary, Mrs. J. D. Ferguson; and treasurer, Mrs. Pearce.

Mrs. G. Molnar was named war quilt convener and Mrs. R. Cornsack, while Mrs. R. Evans was named quilt convener.

Thirty-five ladies were present at the meeting and supper was served before the business meeting. It was decided to send money once a month to buy a present for the war.

More than \$500 was raised by the Hospital Aid Society at a bazaar, supper and play held recently.

R. E. Evans was elected president of Trochu Men's Clubing Club at an annual meeting held Wednesday.

Other officers elected were: vice-president, M. McArthur; secretary, R. Sperman; executive committee, J. Freer, J. Hanna, E. P. McArthur and P. L. Rutherford. Weather permitting, it was hoped that it will be ready for a Boxing Day competition.

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Lloydminster Vets Annual Elections

LYDDMINSTER.—J. Sturges was elected president of the local branch of the Canadian Legion at an annual meeting held Tuesday.

Other officers elected were: first vice-president, S. & Hall; first vice-president, E. Harrison; second vice-president, executive committee, D. McKenna, C. Ranson, H. Mitchell, E. A. Monaghan, F. Cuthbert and R. Thompson.

C. Saxon was re-elected secretary. Treasurer of a meeting of the executive and W. Whitfield was named auditor.

A successful year was reported from all branches of the club's activities. Cheques were donated to the following funds: Queen's Canadian Fund, \$25; Norwegian Relief fund, \$20; and Navy League of Canada, \$10.

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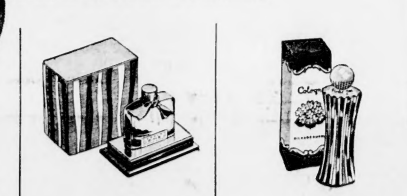
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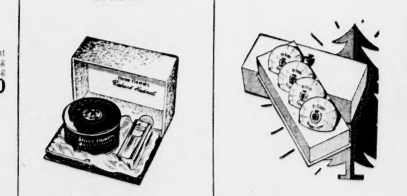
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25 Soldiers Drown

AS Boat Capsized
NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18.—(AP)—At least 25 soldiers wearing life preservers died yesterday when their 60-foot, cruiser-size vessel overturned in Lake Pontchartrain in one of the worst marine accidents here since the turn of the century.

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Narrow Limits

In Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Dec. 18—(AP)—Fluctuations in the grain pits were held within narrow limits today.

Rye moved ahead of the previous close as traders pointed out that the

small trade is sent from western deferred shipment

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Tack	84%	¹ / ₈ higher, oats were unchanged to ¹ / ₈
		lower, rye was unchanged to ¹ / ₈ higher,
		and barley was ¹ / ₂ - ¹ / ₈ higher.
		Wheat: Dec. 1.70 ¹ / ₂ , May 1.65 ¹ / ₂ - 1.66,
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		11 a.m.	32.23 up .08
		Closed	33.30 up .09
		Utilities--	
		11 a.m.	21.89 up .11
		Closed	21.97 up .10

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		Highway 2nd	11	15	11
		Black Gold	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2

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All prices include government bonus of 10c to farmers.

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My Day

BY ELEANOR ROOSEVELT

NEW YORK—Four of us went to the Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Harry Hopkins. Of course you must know by now that I love going out to see how people arrange their own surroundings. These old-fashioned houses, lend themselves to interesting arrangements. You go up and down a step here and a step there to different levels and it adds to their charm.

Mrs. Hopkins has a real gift for creating a charming interior and the house already has an atmosphere of home, even though she and Diana have been in it for such a little while.

My last party for the M.P.'s and anti-aircraft artillery men came off Saturday night. I would like to pay a tribute to the young captain who gave me the names of all his men as they came along.

After I said goodnight to them, I

YOU'RE IN THE ARMY NOW



"Hey! Hey down there, we're out of range—you can stop digging now."

FUNNY BUSINESS



"Now give me a good Indian song!"

FRECKLES



CURIOUS WORLD



went up to the Shoreham hotel, where the North Carolina Society was having its annual get-together. I said a few words to them and they presented Christmas gifts to the president and to me. Mine has already gone to the Red Cross, with a request that they use it for hospital comforts in the southwest Pacific. This was a very charming gesture on the part of the North Carolina Society, and I deeply appreciate it. I hope the society will have pleasure out of the donation of their gift.

Yesterday I attended a ceremony in Philadelphia in honor of Miss Marian Anderson. In the evening I visited a number of patients for my services in Brooklyn with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Wilson.

A few years ago I received a booklet in the mail on the Victory Centre, America's clearing house for winning ideas. It is really an interesting plan.

A group of outstanding citizens of various professions and different political and social views initiated the organization of Victory Centre. They solicit no funds, but they plan to arrange and to finance worthwhile war winning projects and ideas by patriotic firms and individuals.

If you have an idea you think can solve some difficulty you see ahead, send it in to Victory Centre and you may be assured of expert consideration.

This promises to be a busy day with a luncheon at the Architectural League, and the African dance festival in the evening. In between, I hope to have a few people from the entertainment world at tea.

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McCoys Health Service

The patient who gets up with a stiff neck which causes pain whenever he tries to move the head may expect to get sympathy from his friends, but will probably find that most of them think his plight is humorous. If he runs across someone having had a similar trouble, who knows how painful this condition can be, he may get a little sympathy, but the average person will only laugh at his expense.

Wryneck, stiffness and torticollis mean the same thing, namely, a painful condition of the neck brought on by the contraction of certain muscles. Because of this contraction, the neck is twisted and the head is held in unnatural position.

The back part of the head is pulled toward shoulder on the side where the muscles are shortened, with the face being raised and tilted toward the opposite shoulder. The patient will find it impossible to turn the head in a normal way and therefore when he wishes to look forward toward the side, he must partly turn the whole body.

The usual type of wryneck is the acquired type, which seems to develop more frequently in men than in women. The average case of torticollis comes from a rheumatic cause and might be termed a muscular rheumatism. It is usually acute, subsiding within three to four days.

The patient may report that the attack developed after washing the feet without changing to dry shoes, or after driving in an automobile with a cold wind striking the affected side, or sitting in a cold draft by an open window. The muscles are quite sore and there is much discomfort upon movement.

Wryneck may also develop when the lymphatic glands at the side of the neck are enlarged and may therefore accompany an acute condition known by the popular name of swollen neck glands.

Sometimes this stiffness is the direct result of injury, coming on after a fall which has wrenched or twisted the muscles. The stiffness may be uncomfortable, but will disappear within a few days. Occasionally, wryneck is secondary to an inflammation of the ear or to an infection which has settled about the root of a tooth, and will vanish following treatment to the ear, or dental treatment.

The strong contraction of the affected muscles often pulls the cervical vertebrae out of alignment. In such cases, adhesive treatment gives a graduate of one of the manipulative schools will often bring swift relief. Because these manipulative treatments so frequently produce good results, I suggest that they at least be given a trial.

The application of some form of heat is also useful in supplying temporary relief from the soreness. Heat may be applied with the hot water bottle, by the use of hot towels, with the electric pad, or by using a deep therapy lamp or an infra red lamp.

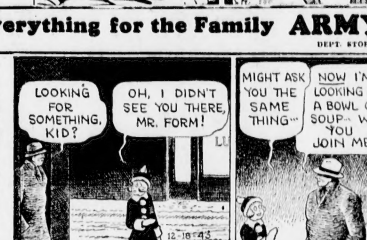
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NO NIGHT SHOPPING

Plan to shop early Monday morning at EATON'S.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING ONLY

EATON'S will be open Wednesday morning but Not Wednesday afternoon this week—the store will open at 9:30 a.m. and close at 12:30 noon on Wednesday. Wednesday morning is a convenient time to shop—plan to take advantage of the many gift suggestions that will be offered at EATON'S Wednesday morning this week.

Sparkling Gift Ideas

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Beautiful fluted glass bowls—clear and sparkling and definitely worthy of a place on your Christmas list. Shining silver plated bases. EACH.

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Relish Dishes

Combination sandwich and relish dishes in clear glass with a silver plated cover on the centre compartment! A delightful gift suggestion for any hostess. EACH.

\$2.75

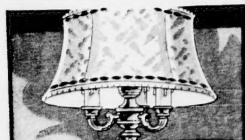
Cream and Sugar

Exquisite gift set! Small cream and sugar both in clear fluted glass with silver plated bases. EACH.

\$1.25

All the above items are subject to the Federal Retail Tax of 20%.

—Silverware Section, Main Floor



TRI-LITE LAMPS

Complete with Shade and Bulbs!

Good lighting is a necessity and these lamps throw the light just where you need it for reading and other close work. They make a beautiful addition to your living room, too! Well balanced stand is finished in a silver-colored effect. Complete with shade and bulb. EACH.

\$21.95

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—Electricity, Second Floor

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Be Sure and Visit the "Sale-Exhibition" of Fine Paintings On EATON'S Second Floor!

A treat for Edmonton art lovers—the fine collection of beautiful paintings in five of Canada's most outstanding artists' here you'll find pictures by Leonard Brooks, V.R.C.A., O.S.A., John Alcorn, V.R.C.A., O.S.A., Herbert Silver, R.C.A., O.S.A., Beattie Robertson and Tom Stone, O.S.A. No finer gift for your home than a painting by one of these artists!

—Pictures, Second Floor



BRIDGE SHADES

In parchment paper. See these shades early Monday—pick them out for gifts. EACH.

59c to \$3.98

Tri-Lite Shades

You'll Find a Grand Selection at EATON'S—Buy a Shade for a Gift!

A good assortment of shades to replace soiled ones, to brighten your home! They come in figured rayons and gleaming rayon satins. EACH.

\$2.95 to \$10.00

—Electricals, Second Floor

Full Fashioned Hose

Substandards

- Sheer knit 4-thread rayon hose.
- Rayon right to the top.
- Cotton lisle reinforced toes, heels and soles.
- Lovely array of smart shades.
- Sizes 8½ to 10½.

Pair 89c

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Fireplace Set—Half Price

A Smart Idea for a Gift!

To complete that fireplace ensemble you should have one of these sets. Four pieces with stand. Black finished iron—consisting of tongs, brush, poker and shovel. SET.

\$3.47

"Commander" Bicycles
Wonderful Christmas Gift

Just watch your young son's eyes when he finds one of these handsome bicycles beneath the tree on Christmas morning! He'll be thrilled beyond words to see his dream come true! Sturdily constructed "Commander" model—finished in a good looking light blue enamel—well tired wheels. Equipped with reliable coaster brake and front hub—strong, comfortable saddle. Splendid value. EACH.

\$49.50

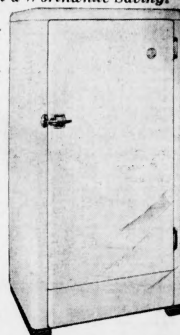
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—Sporting Goods, Lower Floor

Ice Refrigerators—Clearance Priced!

Wonderful Christmas Gift for the Home—at a Worthwhile Saving!

Think how thrilled Mother would be to receive one of these gleaming beauties for Christmas! They definitely solve the food storage problem—and they're good looking besides! Smart modern design—three-coat white enamel finish. Food storage capacity about 4½ cubic feet—approximate 75-pound ice capacity. Fibre glass insulation. CLEARANCE PRICE, EACH.



\$49.50

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—Ice Refrigerators, Lower Floor

Women's Initial Handkerchiefs

As pleasant to give as to receive. Women's large white squares of fine first linen with floral or plain initial in one corner. Neatly hemmed. EACH.

25c

—Handkerchiefs, Main Floor

Women's Dainty Neckwear

Here is just the thing to "tone up" that dress for the holiday season. Crop pieces of corded rayon, fine cotton laces and piques, lace edge finish in Peter Pan or V necklines.

Each 39c

—Neckwear, Main Floor

Watch for "Not-Advertised" Tickets in Toyland on the Lower Floor!

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